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Description: ff. ii + 24 - Not bound. - Apparently obtained from Rosenthal; George A. Plimpton (1855-1936). - De Ricci, p. 1781.

Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 6

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Language: Latin *Country:* Germany *Century:* 15th

Part 1: ff. 1-24v

Description: - Paper - Piccard, Buchstabe PX:464; unidentified smaller "P"; unidentified mountains. - 210 x 148 mm - Vertical bounding lines in lead, with text lines varying, ca. 27-40.

Country: Germany

Cardinal point:

Region:

City:

Assigned Date: s. XV^2

Searchable Date Range: 1450 - 1499

Dated by scribe: Yes

Inscribed Date: 1460

Document: No

Number of Scribes: ;

Script: Several cursive noting hands.

Other Decoration: 3- and 2-line red initials; 1-line initials within the text slashed in red; some red underlining.

Notes: On f. 15v, internal to the computus text, a reference to "presenti anno 1460" may constitute a date for the copying (or the composition?) of this text.

Number of Texts: 3

Text 1: ff. 1-14v

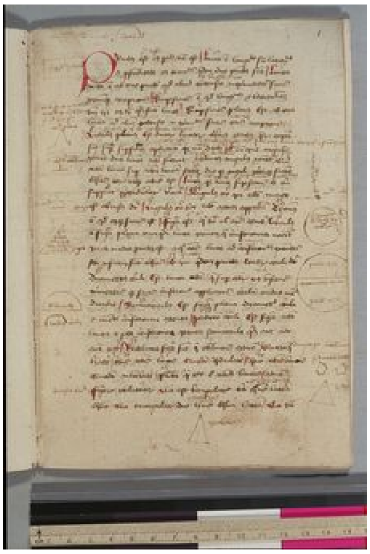
Other Associate: Campanus of Novara

Author: Euclid

Title: Elementa

Language(s): Latin

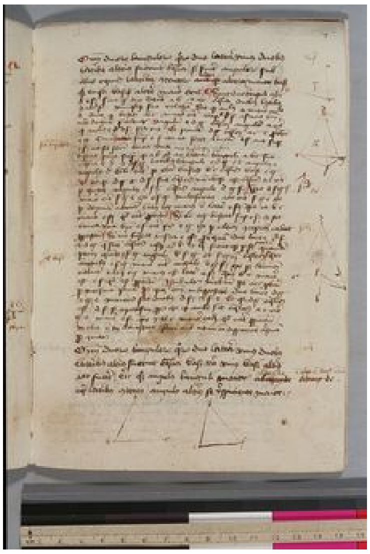
Notes: With commentary. Propositions 12 and 13 reversed; last proposition lacking.



f. 1 Geometrical designs in the margins.

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f. 7 Two script sizes.

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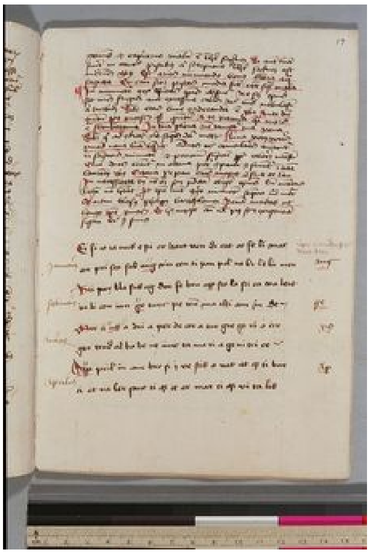
Text 2: ff. 15-17v
Title: Computus; Cisioianus
Language(s): Latin



f. 15v Date presenti anno1460 4 lines from bottom.

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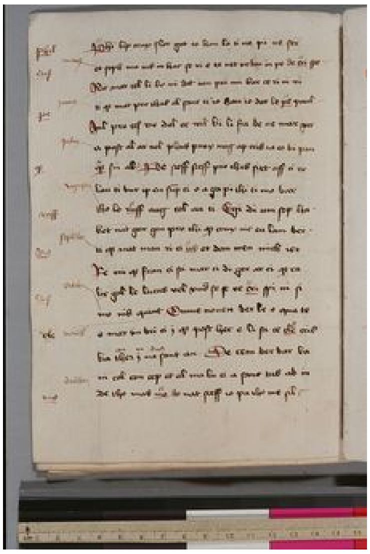
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f. 17 Cisioianus verses.

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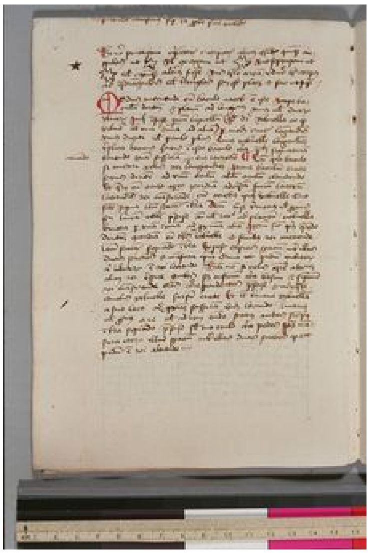


f. 17v Cisioianus verses.

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Text 3: ff. 18-22v; ff. 23-24v blank
Title: Treatise on music
Language(s): Latin
Incipit: Quadruvii [sic nomen ostendit quod hoc ipsum in quatuor facultates superiores ruit . . .



f. 22v Multisided "stars" in text to illustrate polygons.

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